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FM AMEMBASSY CAIRO  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3947  
INFO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

C O N F I D E N T I A L CAIRO 6393

EO 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PINT, PK  
SUBJ: STATUS OF PAKISTANI AMB TO EGYPT

REF PARA 4, ISLAMABAD 3709,

1. AT BAHRAIN RECEPTION LAST EVENING, I SAW PAK AMB AHMED SAEED KIRMANI. ALTHOUGH HE SEEMED IN GOOD SPIRITS, HE INDICATED SITUATION IN PAKISTAN WORRISOME. TWO PAKISTANI AMBS HAD RESIGNED AND OTHERS MIGHT DO SO. THERE HAD BEEN SERIOUS DIFFICULTIES IN HIS HOME CITY OF LAHORE.

2. THIS GAVE ME THE OPPORTUNITY TO SAY THAT I HAD HEARD THAT HE TOO MAY HAVE RESIGNED. KIRMANI DENIED THAT THIS WAS SO-AT LEAST FOR NOW. HE INDICATED, HOWEVER, THAT HE IS UNDER CONSIDERABLE PRESSURE FROM HIS LAHORE POLITICAL CONSTITUENCY TO RESIGN HE HAD JUST RECEIVED A LETTER FROM LAHORE STATING THAT HE IS BEING SEVERELY CRITICIZED BECAUSE HE IS IN CAIRO ENJOYING HIMSELF WHILE HIS LAHORE CONSTITUENTS ARE SUFFERING SERIOUS REPRESSION. KIRMANI IS TRYING TO GET IN TELEPHONIC TOUCH WITH LAHORE TO GET A MORE DIRECT READING OF THE PRESENT SITUATION IN ORDER TO HELP HIM MAKE A JUDGMENT ON WHAT TO DO. DEPENDING UPON WHAT HE HEARS, HE WILL DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT TO RESIGN. IF HE  
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RESIGNS, HE IS CONSIDERING RETURNING TO LAHORE TO WHAT HE CALLED "PARTICIPATE IN THE POLITICAL STRUGGLE."  
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